

Farm Income Enhancement Program and Center for Cooperatives

Purpose

The Farm Income Enhancement Program develops and delivers research, education, and outreach to enhance farm income and promote long-term stability for farm businesses. We conduct effectual research on issues related to sustainability of food, agricultural and environmental systems. The Center for Cooperatives develops and delivers innovative and integrated research and educational programs for the cooperative community and makes them available to agricultural, agribusiness, cooperative and small business leaders, policymakers and the general public.

Impact

Our research and outreach efforts in cooperative enterprises, farm income enhancement, and business retention and expansion help to enhance society's understanding of farm income enhancement strategies for farm businesses and farmer relations with cooperatives.

Our teaching and educational programs are based on innovation in educating undergraduate students, graduate students, and managers and executives in the future of sustainable business and cooperative enterprise leadership.

Our engagement with community partners and industry stakeholders encourage interactions and collaboration between The Ohio State University and the local, national and international community of farm businesses, agribusinesses, and cooperative enterprises.

Ohio State Colleges/Units Involved

College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences

Community Partners Involved

Ohio Farm Bureau Federation
CHS
CHS Foundation
CoBank
Farm Credit Mid-America
United Producers, Inc.
Luckey Farmers
Ag Credit



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